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Enclosed is a copy of the interview summary of August 23, 2007. Original copy given to attorney at the time of the interview.

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Interview Summary	10/718,509		CZAPLICKI ET AL.					
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO	personnel):							
(1) Patrick F. Brinson.	(3)							
(2) <u>Jim McPherson</u> .	(4)							
Date of Interview: 23 August 2007	•			-				
Type: a)☐ Telephonic b)☐ Video Conference c)☑ Personal [copy given to: 1)☐ applicant 2)☑ applicant's representative]								
Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes If Yes, brief description:	e)⊠ No.							
Claim(s) discussed: <u>1,17,18 and 36</u> .								
Identification of prior art discussed: U.S. 4,269,890 to Breitling et al., 4,995,545 to Wyeech and DE 1,9727,907.								
Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached.	g)⊡ was not re	eached. h)⊟ N	/A.					
Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Mr. McPherson discussed amending claims 1 and 17 to include the steps of providing external heat to thermally activate the reinforcing material and the limitation that the reinforcing material is heat activated polymeric material, respectively, to overcome the rejections. Amendments will be made to claims 18 and 36 for further consideration. (A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.) THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.								
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